

1 APPARATUS, SYSTEMS AND METHODS FOR ONLINE, MULTI-CARRIER, MULTI-  
2 SERVICE PARCEL SHIPPING MANAGEMENT FEATURING SHIPPING RATE AND  
3 DELIVERY SCHEDULE COMPARISON FOR MULTIPLE CARRIERS  
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5 ABSTRACT OF THE INVENTION  
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7 The present invention provides apparatus, systems and methods for displaying to each  
8 of a plurality of users, upon each user's request, as to each particular parcel to be shipped by  
9 each user, an online interactive graphic comparison of a plurality of shipping rates calculated  
10 for each of a plurality of services offered by each of a plurality of carriers to ship a particular  
11 parcel, each shipping rate corresponding to a particular service offered by a particular carrier  
12 for delivering the particular parcel to a particular delivery destination at a particular parcel  
13 delivery time on a particular parcel delivery date, wherein each user accesses the computer  
14 system over a global communications network using a client computer device, and wherein  
15 each user has an individual electronic connection to the global communications network. The  
16 present invention provides apparatus, systems and methods for regenerating an online  
17 interactive graphic comparison of a plurality of shipping rates calculated for each of a  
18 plurality of services offered by each of a plurality of carriers, at any particular remote user  
19 client computer device of a plurality of remote user client computer devices, based on  
20 modified input by a user at a particular remote user client computer device, wherein the  
21 present invention communicates with each remote user client computer device over a global  
22 communications network.  
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